

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

Claims 1-9 (Canceled).

Claim 10 (Currently Amended): A ~~process for~~ method of producing a cell electrode plate comprising a band-like core member made of metal foil, the method comprising: applying and drying a plurality of sheets of electrode active material discontinuously on and longitudinally of at least one of upper and lower surfaces of the core member; and pressing the sheets by press rolls of a roll press machines, wherein at least one a first sheet of the sheets of electrode active material ~~in a same plane as~~ applied on one of the upper and lower surfaces of the core member has end positions widthwise of the core member which are different from end positions of other sheets of electrode active material ~~on the same plane~~ widthwise of the core member, and the axial positions of the press rolls at which the end positions of the first sheet widthwise of the core member contact are different from the axial positions of the press rolls at which the end positions of other sheets widthwise of the core member contact to thereby provide providing the sheets of electrode active material on said core member.

Claims 11-16 (Canceled).

Claim 17 (New): The method according to Claim 10, further comprising: trimming, after the pressing, end portions of the sheets and the core member so that the sheets and the core member have common end positions widthwise of the core member.